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INFORM CONSULS

FOLLOWING REPEAT ACTION SECSTATE WASHDC OF 26 JUL 74:

QUOTE UNCLAS KINSHASA 6489

DEPARTMENT PASS ALL DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR POSTS

E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJ: ALI-FOREMAN FIGHT

1. EMBASSY HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT HOTELS IN KINSHASA
ARE NOT ACCEPTING RESERVATIONS FOR PERIOD SEPTEMBER
15 - OCTOBER 4 AS ALL FACILITIES HAVE BEEN FROZEN BY
GOZ. EMBASSY CANNOT REPEAT CANNOT ACT AS AGENT IN
ATTEMPTING OBTAIN ACCOMMODATIONS OR TICKETS. AMCITS
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PURCHASING FIGHT TICKETS AS PART OF PACKAGE SHOULD

ASCERTAIN BEFOREHAND WHETHER PACKAGE INCLUDES ZAIRIAN VISA AND EXEMPTION FROM GOZ REQUIREMENT THAT TOURISTS SPEND \$40 PER DAY (\$60 PER DAY PER COUPLE) WHILE IN ZAIRE. ZAIRE ALSO REQUIRES VISITORS PRESENT PROOF OF CHOLERA AND SMALL POX IMMUNIZATIONS.

2. ALI-FOREMAN TICKETS SUPPOSED TO GO ON SALE HERE ABOUT SEPTEMBER ONE; PRICE RANGE TEN TO TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS. ACCOMMODATIONS AND LOCAL TICKET SALES TO BE HANDLED BY ZAIRIAN FESTIVAL COMMITTEE WHICH SOON TO BE FORMED, BUT NO ONE SHOULD COME TO KINSHASA EXPECTING TO PURCHASE TICKETS AND SECURE LODGING HERE.

3. TICKET SALES AND PRESS ACCREDITATION IN EUROPE AND NORTH AMERICA BEING HANDLED BY VIDEO TECHNIQUES, INC. 39 WEST 55TH STREET, NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10019. JOURNALISTS SHOULD SEND COPIES OF ACCREDITATION REQUESTS TO: UNION DES JOURNALISTS SPORTIFS DU ZAIRE, COMMISSION PRESSE, ALI-FOREMAN, B.P. 3626, KINSHASA, REPUBLIC DU ZAIRE. JOURNALISTS ELSEWHERE IN WORLD SHOULD APPLY DIRECTLY TO UNION DES JOURNALISTS SPORTIFS DU ZAIRE FOR ACCREDITATION. NEWLIN UNQUOTE INGERSOLL

NOTE BY OCT: POUCHED NICOSIA,ATHENS,ANKARA,ISTANBUL.

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